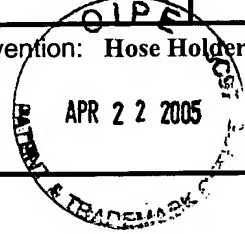

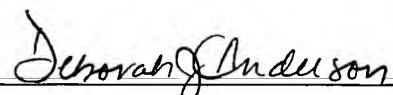


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AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 24, 2005,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims  
that begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.